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**Drawings filed:** <u>07/30/1997</u>

37 CFR 1.84(u)(1) states, "The different views must be numbered in consecutive Arabic numerals, starting with 1 ... Partial views intended to form one complete view, on one or several sheets, must be identified by the same number followed by a capital letter. View numbers must be preceded by the abbreviation 'FIG.'"

Other methods of identification are improper, including Roman numerals (FIG. I, FIG, II, etc.) and alphabetic characters (FIG. A, FIG. B, etc.). Abbreviations and words other than "FIG." ("Illustration, 1" "Diagram 2," "Photo 3," etc.) are improper.

X	Applicant must submit drawings that number the views using consecutive Arabic numerals.
	Applicant must amend the brief description of the drawings on Page(s) of the specification to show consecutive Arabic numerals.
	NOTE: Applicant is advised that the detailed description may voluntarily be amended to identify the drawings by Arabic numerals.
	The drawing is continued onto a second page (or more) without proper labeling under 37 CFR 1.84(u)(1). FIG(s)
X	Applicant must submit drawings on which the view numbers are preceded by the abbreviation "FIG."
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